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Player Data: "2010/2011 Performance" data features in-depth Barclays Premier League and npower Championship statistics only and does not include cups or other competitions. If a player didn't appear in either the Premier League or Championship last season, records from other leagues are included as appearances and goals only.

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Toam Line-ups: The leatured team line-ups are based on regular team selection and may differ from game-to-game at the discretion of the manager.

All first leam squad lists are the same as those published on the official club websites. Players on season-long loans have been omitted from the final squad lists unless specifically requested otherwise by the club.

Divisions in the 20 Year Record are shown as the Championship.

League 1 and League 2. The division names have changed over

the years but this is in-keeping with the current titles.

### STATISTICAL ABBREVIATIONS:

APS - League Appearances GLS - League Goals

### **COUNTRY FLAGS:**

Country flags refer to a player's nationality or the international country he represents and may differ from their country of birth.



### EDITOR'S NOTE:

The final date for compiling this album was November 1st 2011.

All reasonable efforts were made to ensure that the data was accurate at that time. Player transfers, club captain and manager changes were of course beyond our control. The statistics contained in this album are Course beyond our control. The statistics contained in this album are without written permission. All rights reserved.

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Welcome to Topps Premier League 2012, the official sticker collection of the Barclays Premier League and your companion to its 20th season.

The League first kicked-off on 15 August 1992 and since then we have witnessed over 19 thousand goals, scored by 45 different teams in over seven thousand matches. The Barclays Premier League is now broadcast to more than 600m homes in 212 territories around the world and star players like Wayne Rooney, Robin van Persie and David Silva continue to capture the imagination of football fans. It is also great to see young British players making their mark. The likes of Danny Welbeck at Manchester United, Aaron Ramsey at Arsenal, Jack Rodwell at Everton and Daniel Sturridge at Chelsea are all making big impressions at their clubs.

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome Brendan Rodgers and his Swansea City side to the Barclays Premier League. They are the 45th club and the first Welsh side to join the League. It is fantastic to have them competing at the highest level and congratulations must also go to the other two promoted sides, Norwich City and Queens Park Rangers, on their return to English football's top-flight.

There is certainly plenty to celebrate and you can enjoy all the action with Topps Premier League 2012 Sticker Collection. This fantastic new edition features in-depth information for all the clubs and their players. There's also a 20 Seasons feature to look out for, highlighting some of the greatest moments and players from 20 incredible seasons of Premier League action.

So, as we enjoy our 20th Season we also look forward to many more magical moments that you can enjoy with Topps Official Premier League Sticker Collections.





Richard Scudamore Chief Executive of the Premier League



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**Premier League** title wins

Games unbeaten between May 2003 and October 2004. a FL recend

Goals scored by the club's top scorer, Thierry Henry

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**Most PL goals scored** in a season: Thierry Henry (2003/64)

Goals scored by Ted Drake in a single match (vs Aston Villa 1935)

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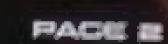


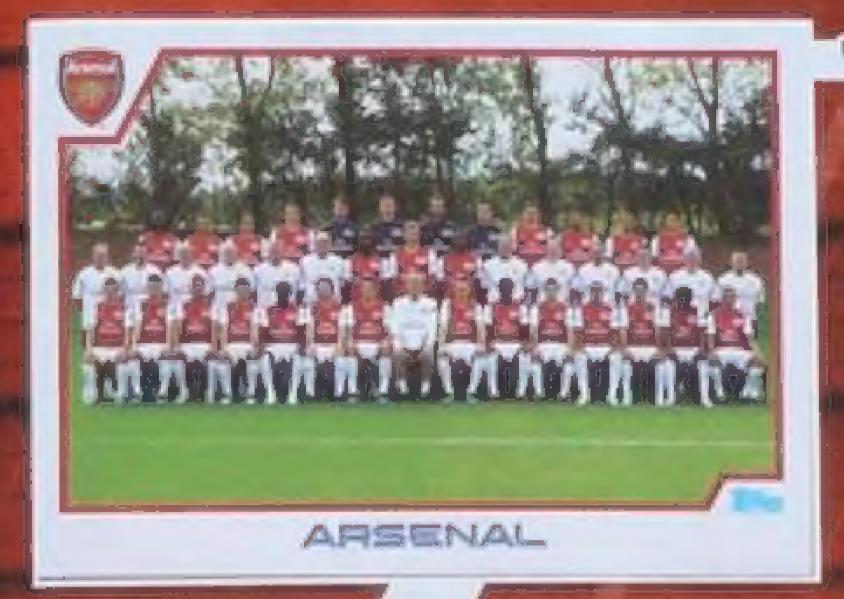
Youngest PL player; Jack Wilshere, 16 years and 256 days

Highest league appearances; David O'Leary (1975-93)

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BB K Gibbs

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30 V. Benayoun

31 R. Miyaichi

### TEAM PATING

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## TEAM TACTICS

Arsenal's squad is packed with players

of supreme technical ability and skill. Their slick, fluid passing and

rapid movement are a delight to watch.

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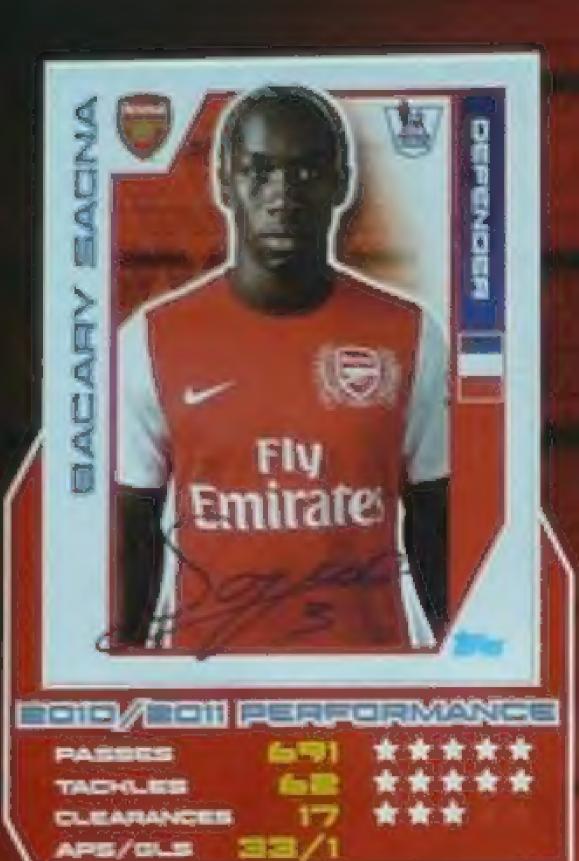


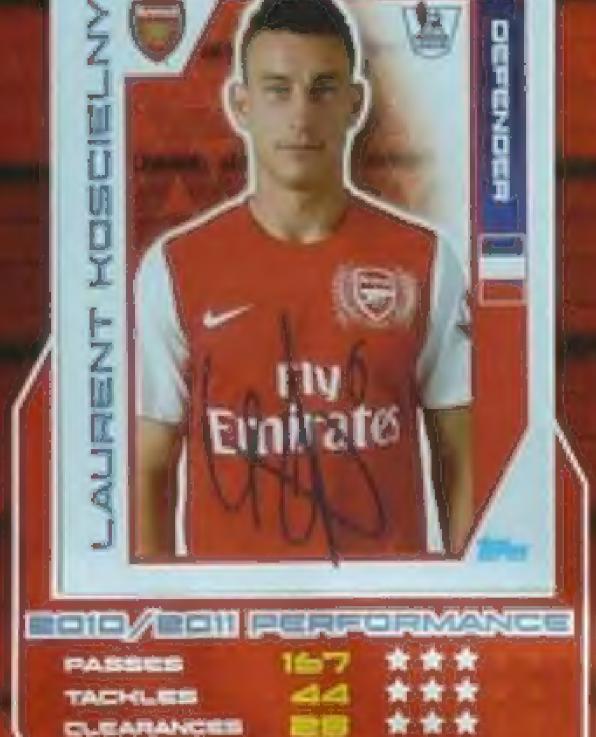
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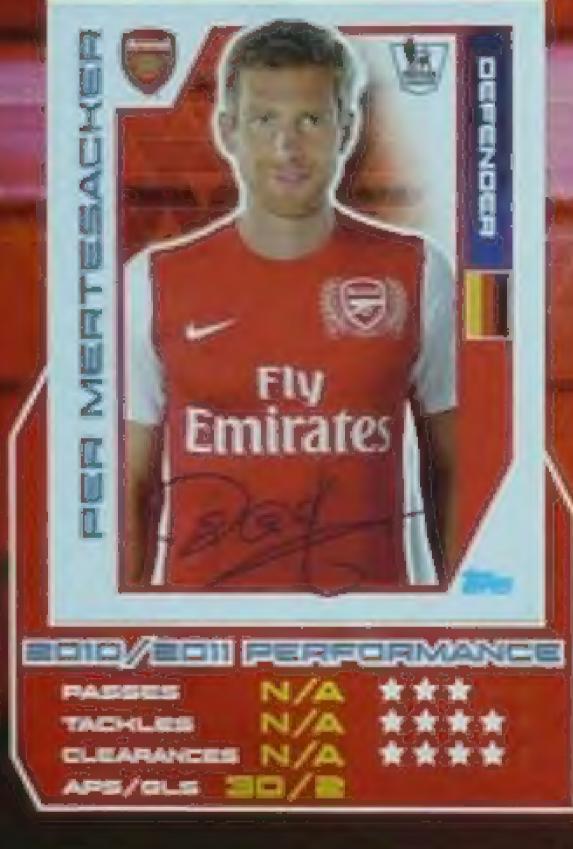


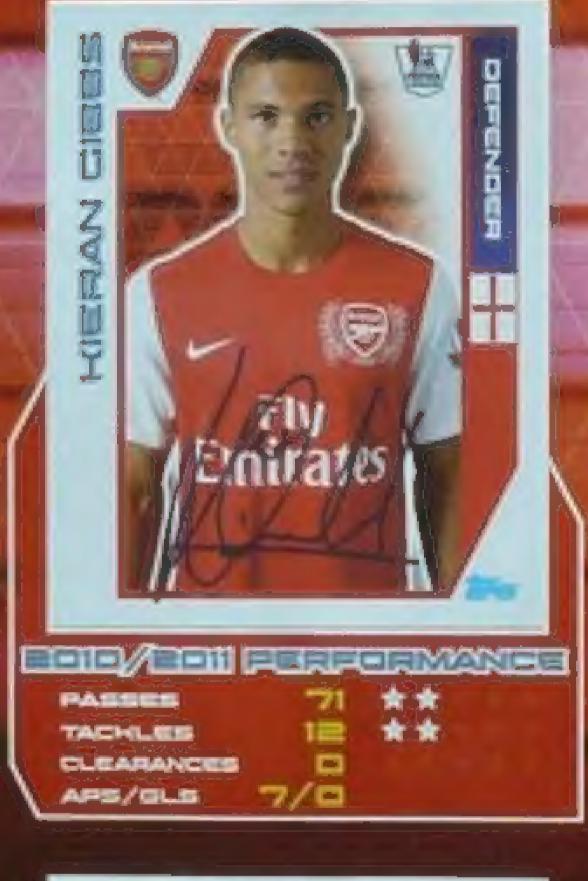


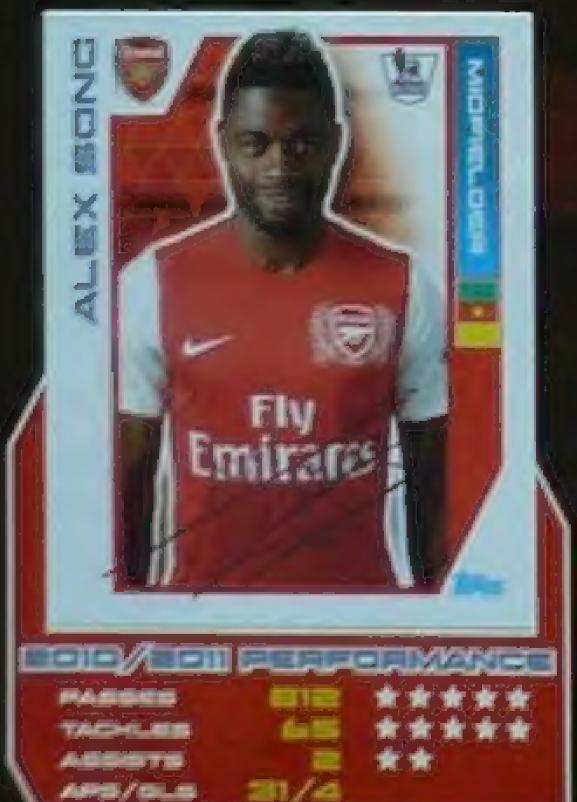


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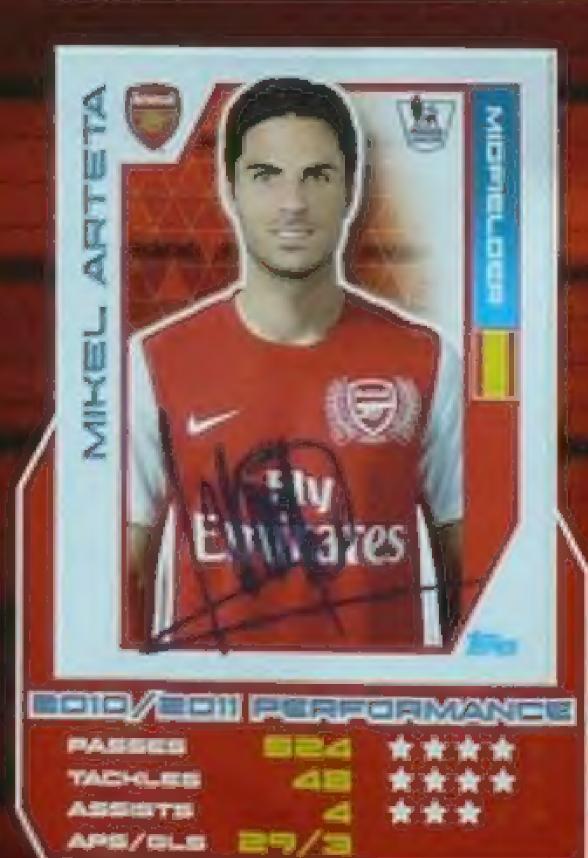


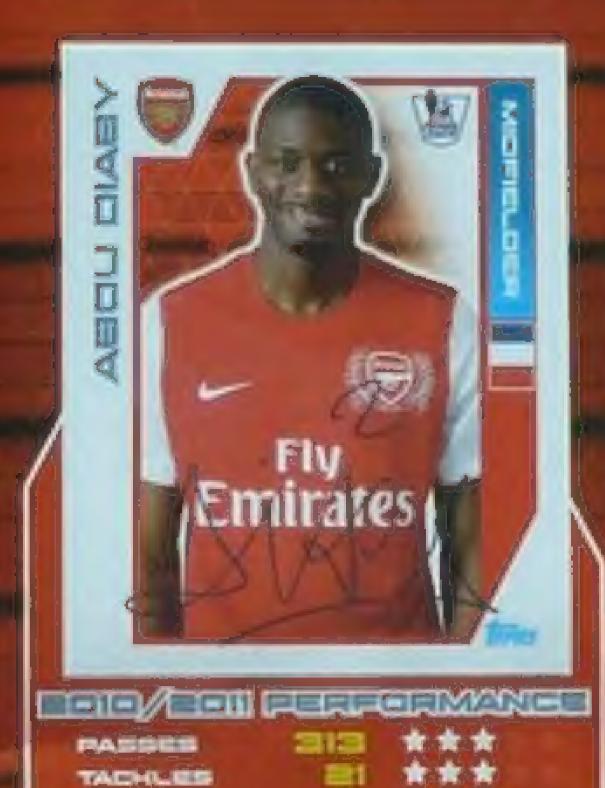












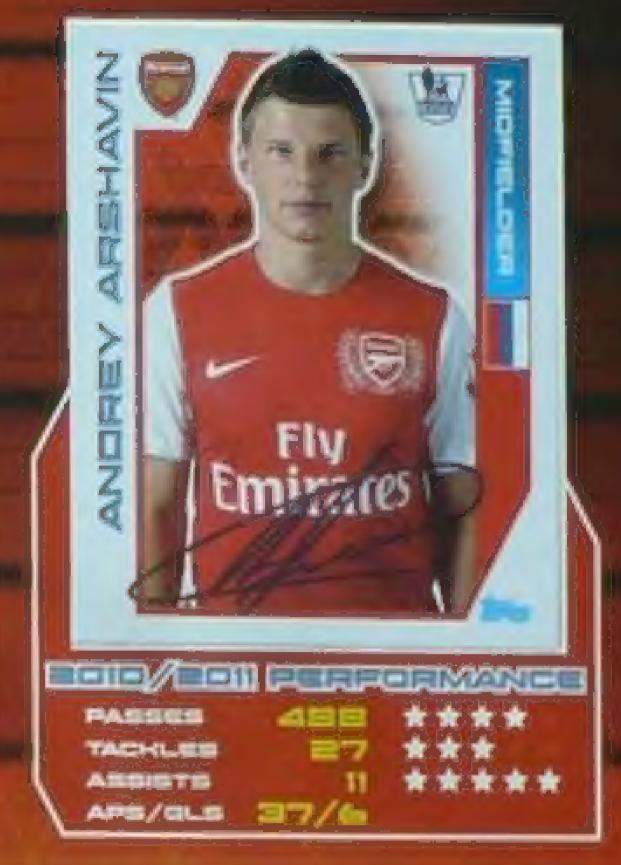
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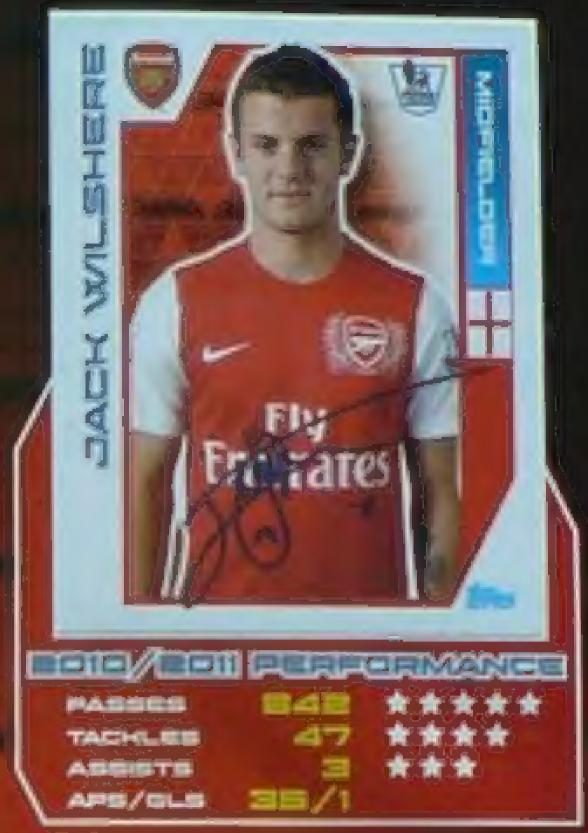
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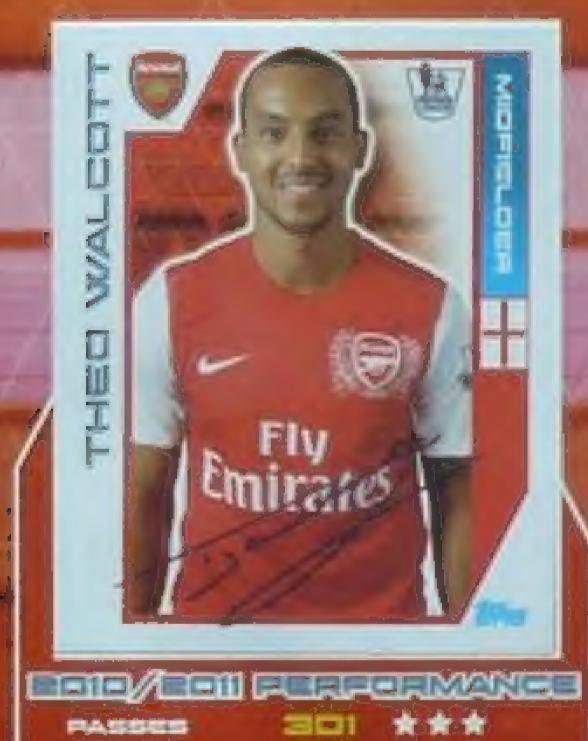
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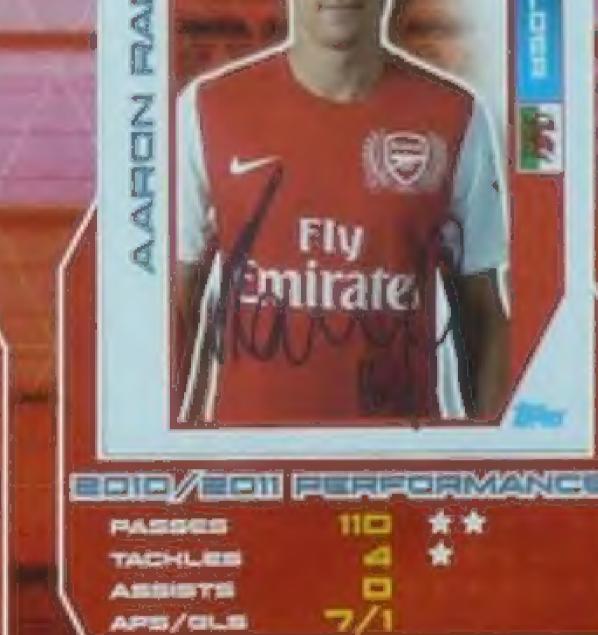
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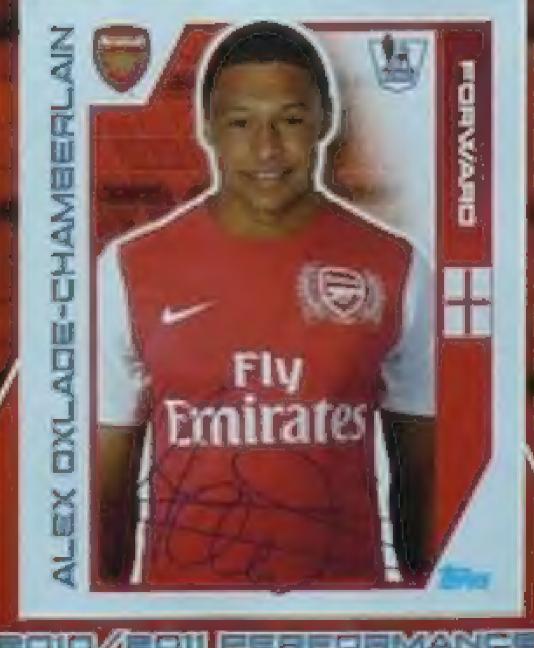




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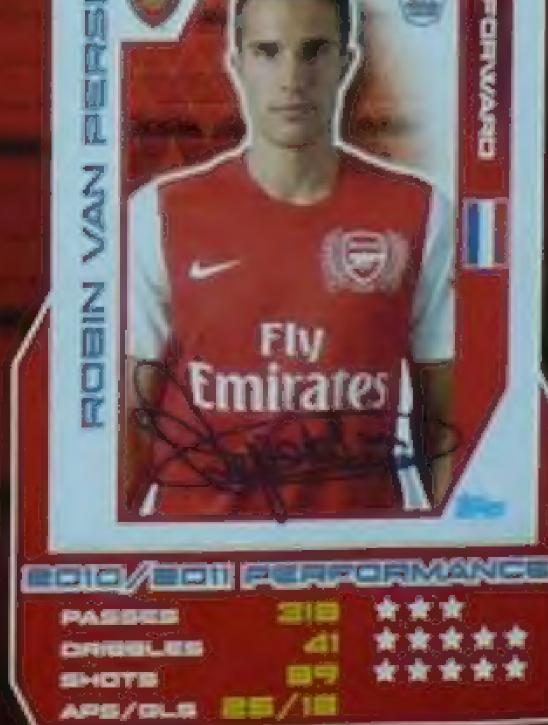




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Year club was formed

Villa's biggest PL win lvs Wimbledon. 19951

PL Goals scored by Dwight Yorke, a Villa record

## **31%**

**Amount of goals** scored by Englishmen last season

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Villa's lastest PL goal; Dwight Yorke, 13 seconds

Most league goals: **Harry Hampton** (1904-15)

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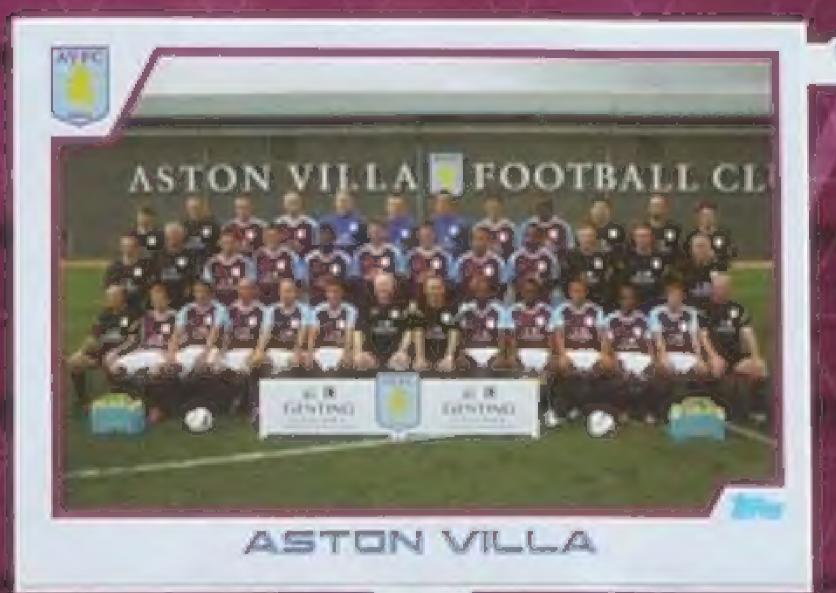
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Most league games; Charlie Aitkin (1961-76)

Games won by just one goal in 2010/11





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### TEAM RATING

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Villa's squad this season is solid at the back, inventive in midfield and potent in attack. They have an effective blend of experience and youth to take the club forward this season.

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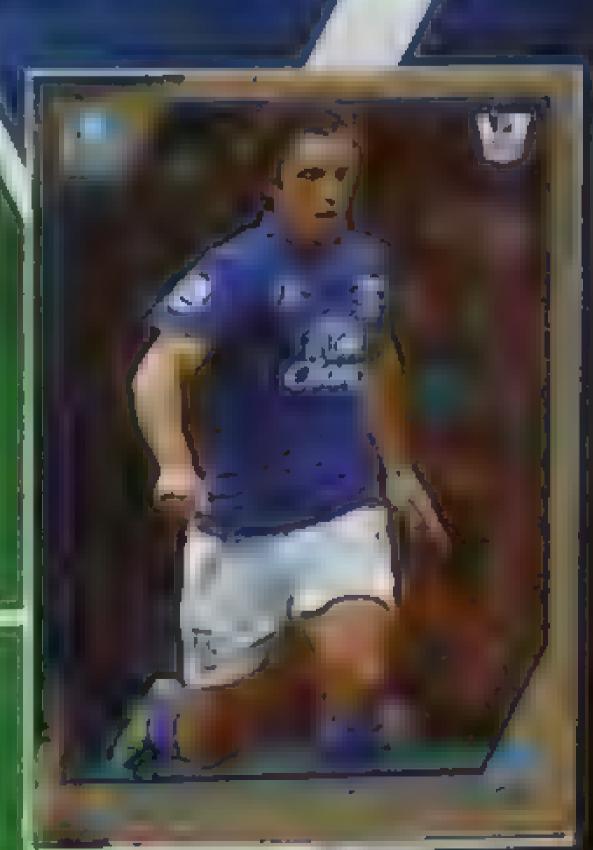
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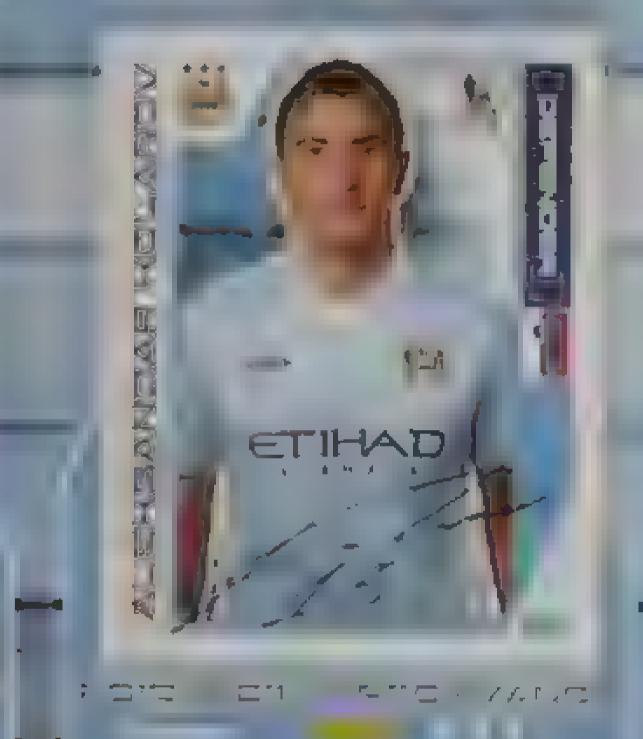




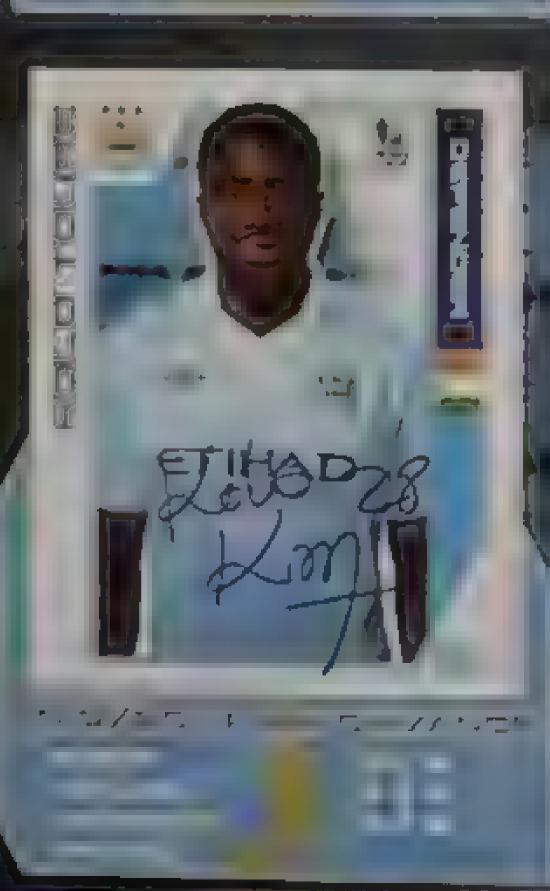














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The Premier League celebrates its 20th season in 2011/2012 and in this fun feature Topps look back at some of the hottest stickers and players who have made the league so exciting.











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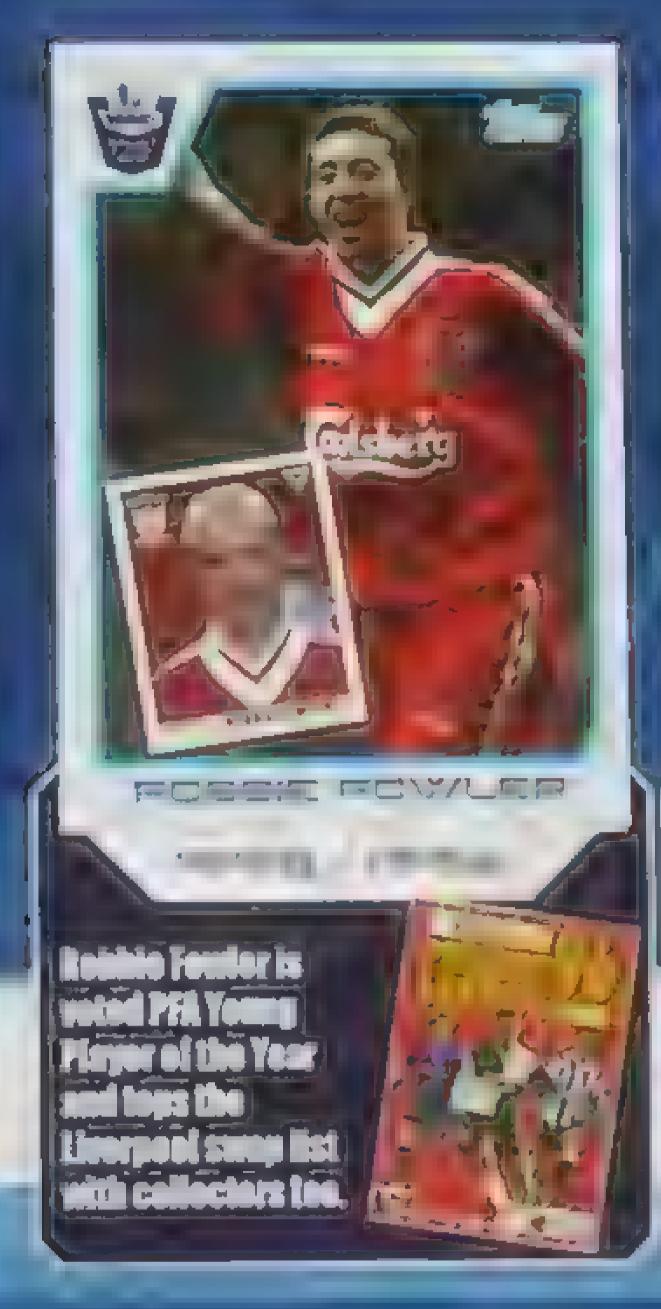


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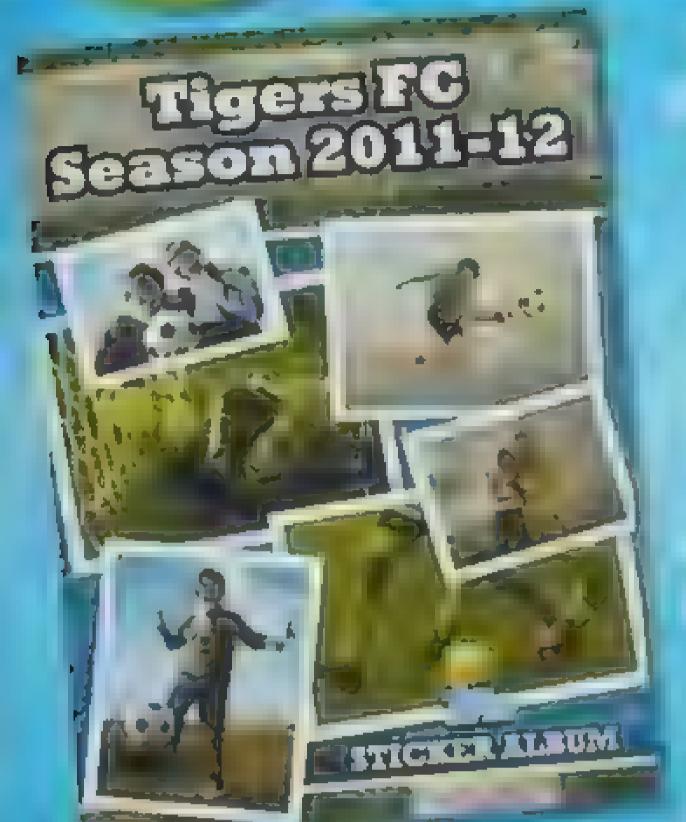




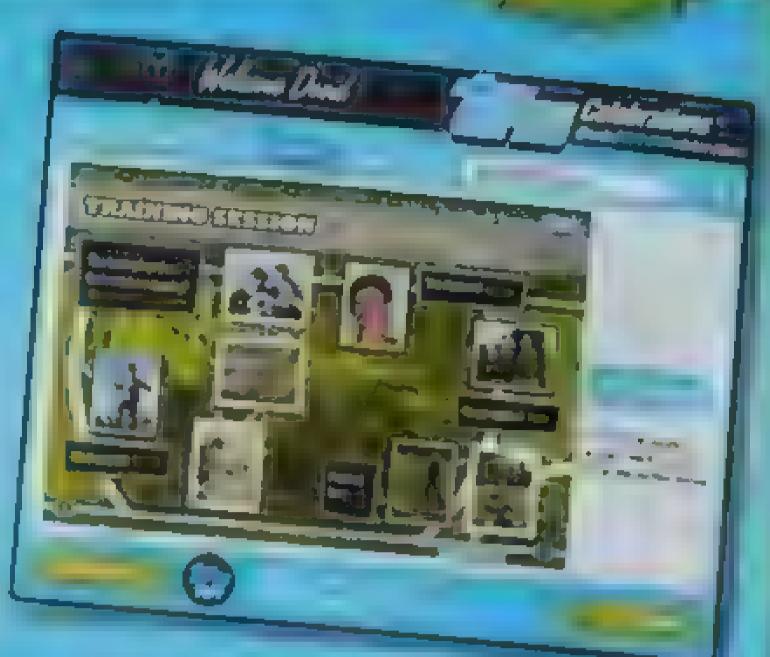


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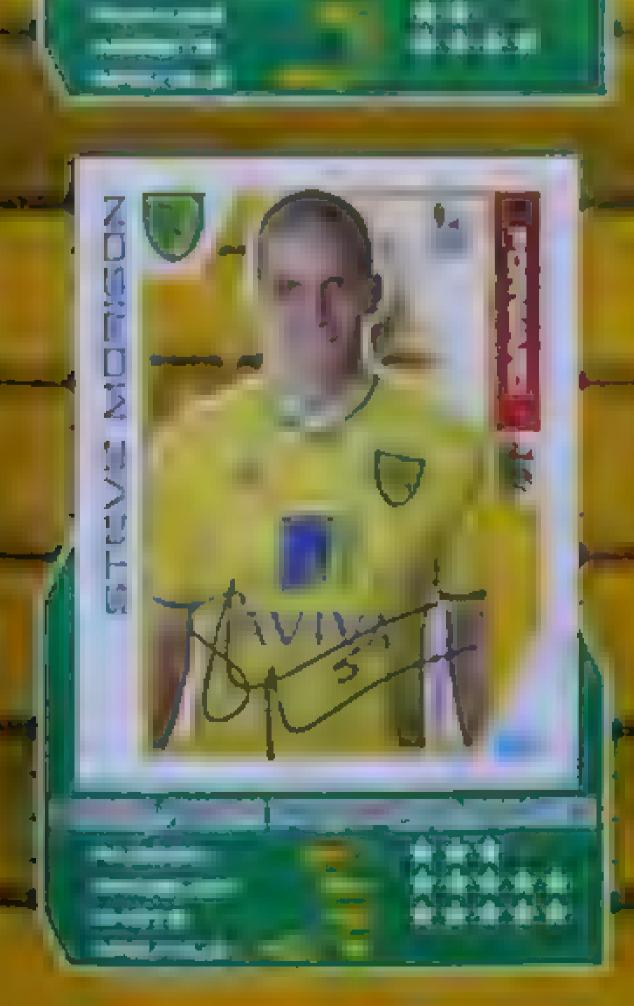




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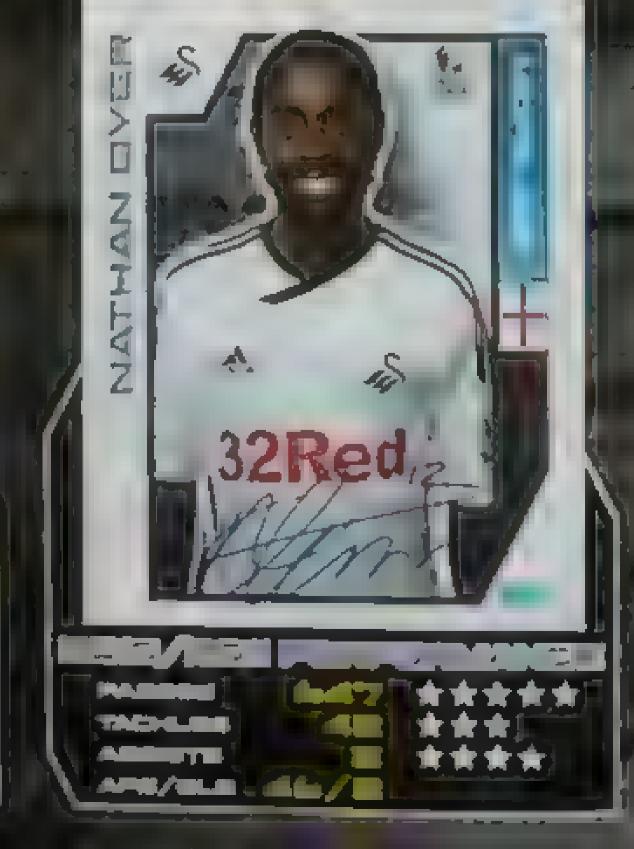
























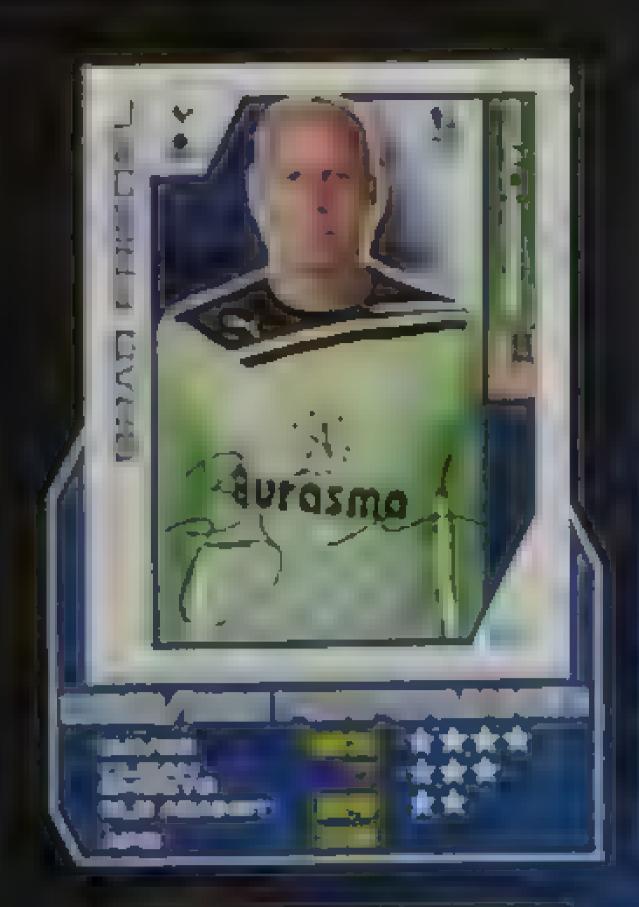
































































































































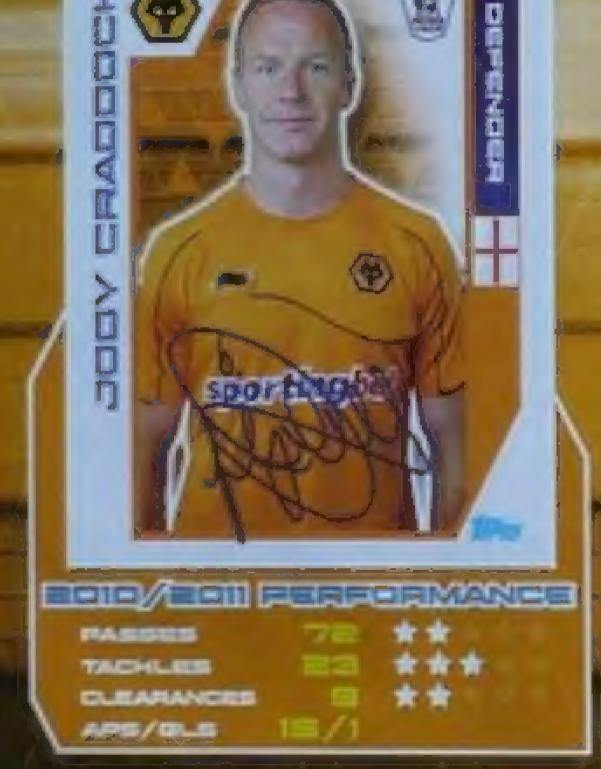












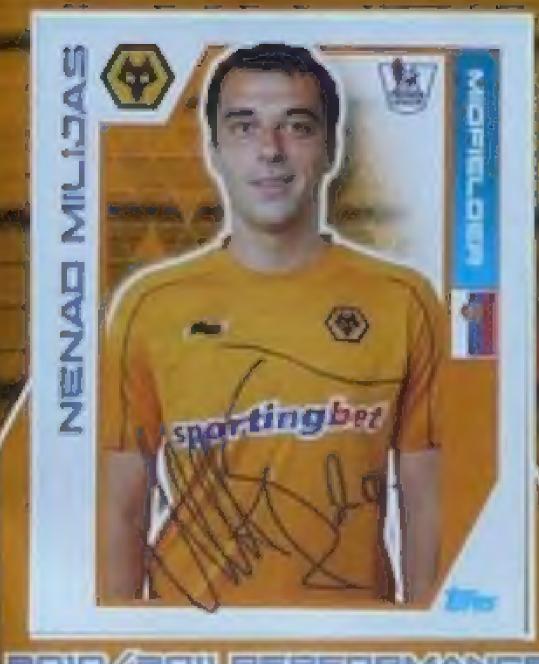






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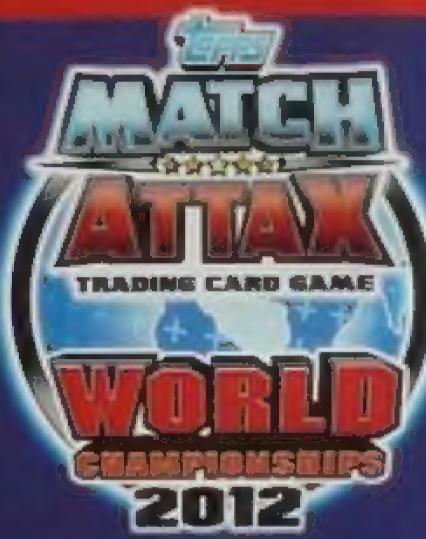
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